an information processing apparatus including:

an operating unit adapted to enter information;

a processor adapted to process information entered at said operation unit;

a display unit adapted to perform a display corresponding to data processed

by said processor;

a memory unit adapted to store images which were picked up by said image

pickup unit; and

an interface adapted to detachably connect said image pickup apparatus, wherein said information processing apparatus further includes:

a detecting unit adapted to detect that said image pickup apparatus is

connected; and

a controller adapted to enable said display unit to display sequential images sent from said image pickup apparatus in a case that said detecting unit detects that said image pickup apparatus is connected, and to enable said display unit to display an image stored in said memory unit in a case that said detecting unit detects that said image pickup apparatus is not connected.

37. (Amended) An information processing apparatus, comprising:

an operating unit adapted to enter information;

a processor adapted to process information entered at said operating unit;

a display unit adapted to performing a display corresponding to data

processed by said processor;

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an interface adapted to connect an image pickup apparatus, the image pickup apparatus being detachable from said interface;

a memory unit adapted to store images which have been picked up by said image pickup apparatus;

a detecting unit adapted to detect that the image pickup apparatus is connected; and

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a controller adapted to enable said display unit to display sequential images sent from the image pickup apparatus in a case that said detecting unit detects that the image pickup apparatus is connected, and to enable said display unit to display an image stored in said memory unit in a case that said detecting unit detects that the image pickup apparatus is not connected.

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---12. (New) An image processing system according to claim 27, wherein said controller controls said display unit so as to display the image picked up by said image pickup apparatus, during an image pickup operation by said image pickup apparatus and display the image stored in said memory unit, during a cessation of the image pickup operation of said image pickup apparatus.

43. (New) An apparatus according to claim 37, wherein said controller control said display unit so as to display an image picked up by the image pickup apparatus, during an image pickup operation by the image pickup apparatus and display the